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## **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

Claims 1-7 are pending in the application. Reexamination and reconsideration are hereby requested.

Claims 1-7 were rejected as unpatentable over Yang in view of Anderson and Mishra.

Applicants reply that Yang has a filing date of 08/01/1997, whereas the present application claims priority from provisional application No. 60/049,006, filed 06/09/1997. Consequently, Yang is not a reference.

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